Public Notice – Environmental Permit

PURPOSE OF NOTICE: To seek public comment and announce a public hearing on a draft permit from the Virginia Department of Environmental Quality to limit air pollution emitted by a facility in Galax, Virginia.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: From September 11, 2006 until 15 days after the public hearing.

PUBLIC HEARING: Galax Public Library, 610 West Stuart Drive in Galax, Virginia, on October 12, 2006 at 7:00 P.M.

INFORMATIONAL BRIEFING: Galax Public Library, 610 West Stuart Drive in Galax, Virginia, on October 12, 2006 from 6:30 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.

PERMIT NAME: Federal Operating Permit issued by DEQ, under the authority of the Air Pollution Control Board

APPLICANT NAME AND ADDRESS: GALAX ENERGY CONCEPTS, LLC; 1010 GLENDALE ROAD; GALAX, VIRGINIA 24333.

FACILITY NAME, ADDRESS AND REGISTRATION NUMBER: GALAX ENERGY CONCEPTS, LLC; 1010 GLENDALE ROAD; GALAX, VIRGINIA 24333; REGISTRATION NO. 11012.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION: NGAS RESOURCES, INC.; LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY has applied for renewal of the Title V operating permit for GALAX ENERGY CONCEPTS, LLC. The facility is located at 1010 Glendale Road in Galax, Virginia. The facility is classified as a major source of air pollution. The permit would allow the source to operate equipment for producing steam for resale.

HOW TO COMMENT: DEQ accepts comments by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period. DEQ also accepts written and oral comments at public hearings. Please note that an informational briefing will be conducted prior to the public hearing. Written comments will be accepted for 15 days after the public hearing. The public may review the draft permit and application at the DEQ office named below. The draft permit is also available on the DEQ web site at www.deq.virginia.gov.

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